THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.V.RAMULU

W.P.No.24440 of 2006

Dated:06.12.2006

Between
M.V.Prakash

.....Petitioner

and

1.The Chief Rationing Officer, Hyderabad City, Opp: Anand Talkies SP Road, Secunderabad-3 and Another.

…Respondents

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ORDER:

It appears that the petitioner is a fair price shop dealer in respect of shop No.948, Manikeswari Nagar, Secunderabad. While so, after conducing a detailed enquiry on certain irregularities alleged to have been committed by the petitioner, his authorization was cancelled under the impugned proceedings dated 9.1.2006. Aggrieved by the same, in fact, the petitioner has already filed a statutory appeal along with the stay petition before the 1st respondent-District Rationing Officer, Hyderabad City. Neither the appeal nor the stay petition has been disposed of so far.

On enquiries, it is revealed that against the proceedings under Section 6-C of the Essential Commodities Act, the petitioner has filed a criminal revision before this Court and the same is pending and the records were sent to this Court. Therefore, the appeal is not being taken up.

It is always open for the respondent-

authorities to obtain record from the Learned Public Prosecutor and complete the enquiry.

Therefore, the writ petition is disposed of directing the 1st respondent to dispose of the statutory appeal pending before him within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order irrespective of the pendency of the criminal case before this Court.

Writ petition is disposed of accordingly. No costs.

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